

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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Roberto Gemello et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 2626
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Application No. 10/538,876	)	Examiner: Yen, Eric L.
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Filed: June 14, 2005	)	Confirmation No. 8785
	)	
For: METHOD OF OPTIMISING THE	)	
EXECUTION OF A NEURAL	)	
NETWORK IN A SPEECH	)	
RECOGNITION SYSTEM THROUGH	)	
CONDITIONALLY SKIPPING A	)	
VARIABLE NUMBER OF FRAMES	)	

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Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

This Amendment accompanies a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), and fulfills the requirement for a submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. This Amendment is in response to the Final Office Action mailed September 12, 2008, with a period for response extending through December 12, 2008. Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.